

**DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY
CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA)**

Water Pollution Control - General Training

1. **AUTHORITY.** To approve grants or cooperative agreements with State water pollution control agencies, interstate agencies, other public or nonprofit private agencies, institutions, organizations, and individuals for research, investigations, experiments, training, demonstrations, surveys, and studies relating to the causes, effects, extent, prevention, reduction, and elimination of pollution as authorized by Section 104(b)(3) of the Clean Water Act.
2. **TO WHOM REDELEGATED.**
 - a. To the Director, Water Division, or equivalent.
 - b. The authority under Delegation 1-14-A to execute the grants is redelegated through the Director, Mission Support Division, or equivalent, and through the Branch Chief, Grants and Interagency Agreements Branch, or equivalent, to the Section Chief, Grants Section, or equivalent.
3. **LIMITATIONS.** The authority delegated to the regional administrator or division director is limited to approval of assistance for investigations, experiments, surveys, and studies.
4. **REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.**
 - a. The authority may not be redelegated.
 - b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
5. **SUPERSESSION.** This delegation supersedes R10 2-38 (10/28/2004) and any other delegation of the same authority.
6. **ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.**
 - a. 40 CFR 30, 40 CFR 31, and 40 CFR 33.
 - b. EPA Delegation 1-14-A.
 - c. EPA Delegation 2-38.

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